



Navarro ISD

# Board Report

## Athletics

February 2025

It is an exciting time in Navarro athletics. While some teams are beginning their playoff push, others are getting their seasons started. There have been many team and individual successes so far this semester!

### Playoff Pushes

Girls basketball finished the regular season with a record of 22-14, earning a spot in the playoffs. The JV team also finished their season and showed tremendous growth this year. Our girls varsity team will play Lago Vista on Thursday night at Smithson Valley High School.

After sweeping Canyon Lake, the boys basketball team put themselves in position to fight for a playoff spot as well. With a win on Tuesday, they would clinch a spot. If not, a play-in game would take place on Friday 2/14.

### In Season Report

Boys soccer played a hard fought match against Center Point in their third match ever. Twice they trailed Center Point but fought back into the match both times to equalize at 2-2 with 5 minutes remaining in the match. They showed much improvement and earned their first tie.

Girls soccer played a very spirited match against Center Point showing much improvement from their first outing against Canyon Lake. They thought they had scored the first goal of the match, but had it taken away due to an offside call. The older more experienced varsity squad of Center Point built around three very skilled seniors proved too much for the girls as they fell 4-0. However, the girls showed much improvement after giving up three goals in the first half. This was the first varsity squad that the girls have played, so they recognized their improvement from the first match and were uplifted by their performance against a much tougher varsity squad.

#### Powerlifting:

The Navarro Panthers represented with power and pride at the JV Stockdale Invitational meet last week! Here are the standout performances:

Boys: 2nd: Xavier Fitts, 5th: Karsen Green, 8th: Ruben Dominguez, 9th: Owen Garnand, 9th: Maddox Bilicic, 12th: Kai Zimmerman, 6th: Isidro Rocha, 6th: Antonio Perez

Girls: 4th: Sonia Chen, 4th: Bailey Weatherly, 7th: Presli Morgan. The Varsity Powerlifting team will compete this Saturday Feb. 8th at the Seguin Invitational.

Navarro Track is off to a strong start with both boys and girls training hard in morning and afternoon workouts. Our athletes are showing dedication and determination as we prepare for our first meet in Marion on February 13th.

With over 50 athletes competing this season, we are excited to see their hard work pay off on the



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track. We are also proud to be hosting our own meet at Navarro High School on February 20th, with seven teams set to compete.

## Cheer:

The Navarro Varsity and JV cheer squads cheered at their prospective girls basketball games against Davenport on Tuesday. They rallied the boys teams on Friday against Canyon Lake last week.

In addition to cheering, the UIL competition squad was recognized at the school board meeting on Monday for an outstanding job done at their first ever UIL state championship competition.

## Golf:

The Navarro Golf Team played in the first tournaments of the year at the Devine Invitational last week. Despite the cold and rainy weather, the teams played well.

The girls team placed 4th place overall out of 12 teams. The boys team placed 4th overall out of 22 teams. Jake Kirk also placed 3rd place overall as an individual.

This week we competed in the Floresville Golf Invitational. It was a great week for our golfers to improve on their game, as well as, playing in warmer weather conditions than last week. At this tournament, the girls team finished 5th place out of 12 teams.

The boys team finished 9th place out of 19 teams. Jake Kirk also finished 1st place overall as an Individual with a score of 69 (3 under par).

## Softball:

Last week the JV and Varsity softball teams had a successful scrimmage against Seguin. Seguin graciously provided a pitcher for our defensive innings as we currently have only 8 varsity players. Saturday, the varsity team travelled to Medina Valley for 3 scrimmages but were only able to complete 2 as we only had 9 players and two fell ill during the day. We competed well against Eagle Pass and Clemens HS.

## Baseball:

Last Saturday Navarro Baseball hosted our annual Alumni scrimmage and HR Derby. We had over 15 contestants/Alumni enter the HR derby and play in the scrimmage portion.

Tuesday, we hosted SA Jefferson for our first scrimmage of the year. JV scored 13 runs and only surrendered 2 in five innings of work. Varsity bats were alive scoring 22 runs on 18 hits. On Defense We totaled 16Ks as a pitching staff, as well as playing error free baseball through all 7 innings.